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RE APPLICATION OF:

Singh et al.

SERIAL No.: 09/903,290

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EXAMINER: Unknown

ART UNIT: 1743

Response to Notice to File Missing
Parts of Application

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Sir:

1. In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts mailed August 27, 2001 (copy enclosed), applicant submits the following:

- ☒ A Petition for 3-month time extension
- ☒ An Executed Declaration of Inventorship
- ☒ A Power of Attorney by Assignee
- ☒ A Preliminary Amendment
- ☒ A Sequence Listing, matching declaration and diskette
- ☒ a copy of an assignment recordation cover sheet **for information purposes only** (Form PTOL-1595) for assignment being filed separately.

2. Conditional Petition for Extension of Time

Applicant petitions for an Extension of Time if necessary for timely filing of this Response.

3. Fee Payment

- ☒ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR \$1.27.
- ☒ Please charge the fee of \$65.00 in payment of the surcharge for late filing of declaration or oath to Deposit Account No. **50-0665**.
- ☒ Please charge any underpayment for timely filing of this Response to Deposit Account No. **50-0665**.

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Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

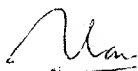
- The oath or declaration is unsigned.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$65 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 65.
- This application clearly fails to comply with the requirements of 37 C.F.R. 1.821-1.825. Applicant's attention is directed to the final rulemaking notice published at 55 FR 18230 (May 1, 1990), and 1114 OG 29 (May 15, 1990). If the effective filing date is on or after July 1, 1998, see the final rulemaking notice published at 63 FR 29620 (June 1, 1998) and 1211 OG 82 (June 23, 1998). If the effective filing date is on or after September 8, 2000, see the final rulemaking notice published in the Federal Register at 65 FR 54604 (September 8, 2000) and 1238 OG 145 (September 19, 2000). Applicant must provide an initial computer readable form (CRF) copy of the "Sequence Listing", an initial paper or compact disc copy of the "Sequence Listing", as well as an amendment directing its entry into the application. Applicant must also provide a statement that the content of the sequence listing information recorded in computer readable form is identical to the written (on paper or compact disc) sequence listing and, where applicable, includes no new matter, as required by 37 CFR 1.821(e), 1.821(f), 1.821(g), 1.825(b), or 1.825(d). If applicant desires the sequence listing in the instant application to be identical with that of another application on file in the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, such request in accordance with 37 CFR 1.821(e) may be submitted in lieu of a new CRF.

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